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In re Application of: Confirmation No. 5931

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 20, 2009, to which the time for response is set to expire November 20, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below and consider the following remarks.

An amendment to the specification is provided on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

This amendment is being filed in advance of a November 20, 2009 due date and, consequently, no fees are believed due for this response. If the Office believes that any fees are due, the Office is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-0832 for such additional fees.